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MODIFICATIONS IN THE MULTI-BAND EXCITATION (MBE) MODEL FOR  
GENERATING HIGH QUALITY SPEECH AT LOW BIT RATES

LIMITED LIABILITY CORPORATION

TIMUR GROUP III, L.L.C.

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